



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 274

LCO No. 1605

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

Introduced by:

SEN. KISSEL, 7th Dist.

***AN ACT CONCERNING CUSTODIAL STAFFING BY THE
DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to require periodic reporting
- 2 by the Commissioner of Correction to the Governor and to the General
- 3 Assembly concerning the number of inmate disciplinary reports,
- 4 inmate assaults on custodial staff, inmate assaults on other inmates,
- 5 and workers' compensation claims filed by custodial staff during the
- 6 relevant reporting period and to further require an explanation in such
- 7 reports for certain percentage increases in the number of such
- 8 disciplinary reports, assaults or workers' compensation claims and a
- 9 general description of the measures to be taken by the Department of
- 10 Correction to address such increases, and that a study be conducted by
- 11 the Department of Correction concerning the relationship between
- 12 workers' compensation claims filed by custodial staff and the use of
- 13 voluntary and mandatory overtime by the department.

Statement of Purpose:

To implement reporting requirements concerning custodial staffing by the Department of Correction.